

## Music Notes for September 10, 2023

On September 10<sup>th</sup> we'll return to singing the psalm, after having spoken the psalms during our time of worship outdoors. The verses of Psalm 149 will be sung by the choir to an Anglican chant tune by Charles Villiers Stanford (see more information about him [here](#).) The antiphon is below and you can listen to it [here](#).



Want to learn more about how we sing the Psalms at St. A's? Just click [here](#).

This Sunday's music will include two less-familiar hymns, though we have sung both before at St. A's. The Sequence Hymn, between the second reading and the Gospel, is "Jesus calls us here to meet him," by John Bell of the Iona Community in Scotland. The tune is an easy folk melody, and the words are particularly appropriate to Sunday's Gospel text. Listen to it [here](#).

The communion hymn is "Draw us in the Spirit's tether," set to a tune called "Union Seminary" composed by Harold Friedell. Friedell was a noted organist, choirmaster, teacher, and composer in many prominent New York City Episcopal parishes, including Calvary Church and St. Bartholomew's. Here's a brief clip of the [hymn](#).